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SUBMISSION OF DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the drawings (3 sheets, Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6) for the above-identified application. These drawings correspond to the drawings presented in the PCT application PCT/EP2005/002412, which was communicated by the International Bureau for the U.S. national stage filing of the present application under 35 U.S.C. 371, and published as WO 2005/085740 A1.

According to MPEP 1893,03(e), the national stage application includes documents forwarded by the International Bureau and submissions from applicant. Because the PCT application with its drawings is considered to be part of the national stage filing of the present application, the drawings attached hereto are already of record because they are the drawings from the PCT application.

The submission of these drawings are intended to replace the drawings (6 sheets, Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6) erroneously filed with the verified English translation filed on

September 7, 2006, and to clarify that the attached drawings are the drawings of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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